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L. T. ANDREWS.

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Elizabe City, N. C., Sept. 30, 1869-1y.

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E. B. BROWER.

ELIZ. CITY, Jan. 18th, 1872-1y.

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JOHN PAILIN.

E. City, N. C., Dec. 18th, 1871.-1yr.

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JNO. S. WAUGH.

Elizabeth City, Nov. 25, 1869.-tf.

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" E. City, every Tuesday, 5 o'clock, a. m., for Nag's Head, Hertford and Stony Landing.
" Stony Landing, every Friday, 5 o'clock, a. m., Hertford, 6 o'clock, a. m., for Nag's Head and Elizabeth City.
" Elizabeth City, every Saturday, 9 a. m., for Nag's Head.

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Children,	" "	.75
2d Class, Fare	" "	1.00
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4 Wheel Vehicles	" "	2.00
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Every Saturday from Elizabeth City to Nags Head and return Monday Morning. Round trip...Hotel bill included, $3.50.

Children,..... .....Half Price.

All freight taken on reasonable terms.

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E. City, May 11, 1871.—tf.

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June 11th, 1873—tf.

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ARTHUR L. JONES.

Mar. 17, 1870.-38—1y.

LIVERY STABLES AT ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

The subscriber takes this method of informing his old friends and the public generally that he is still at the "old stand" and continues to keep horses, buggies, carriages &c., for hire. persons accommodated at all times and on reasonable terms. Remember the place—on Road street near the canal bridge.

C. B. BROTHERS.

Poetry.

The Day after Christmas.

'Tis the day after Christmas and all through the town,
The gates have been removed, the signs are all down,
And the people on the streets are laughing with delight,
At the tricks that were played during Christmas night:
For thorough was the work, and curious the sights
Which show'd so plainly "the town was put to rights,"
Boats were on the sidewalks loaded down with freights,
Large boxes and hogsheads, and barrels and crates,
With hawsers tied to trees, with chains locked to doors,
Waiting for merchants to unload them of their stores.
Strange indeed were the sights which greeted my eyes,
As I started down the streets in wonder and surprise,
On the market-house top, thirty feet from the ground,
Three wagons, two carts and a buggy were found;
By what sort of freak did those things get there,
Unless Old Nick sent 'em aloft for repair;
For who in their lives had ever before heard
A wagon had wings and could fly like a bird?
The town pump was decked in fantastic attire,
The Engine and Hose called out for a fire;
And lodged in the limbs of an old elm tree,
Were a large arm chair, and a broken settee.
Old Discount who makes cent per cent their 'bouts,
Came to his door hearing laughter and shouts,
And saw on his piazza with disgust and fear,
A Barber's pole and sign, "shaving done here."
Just at this time came our Constable in trouble
His walk and his talk made us think he saw double;
His brain was fuddled, as he drew from his pockets,
And read Town Ordinance No. 20, 'gainst rockets,
At once he was greeted with such laughter and noise,
With blasts from tin horns, and jeers from the boys;
Recollecting 'twas day, in confusion and fright,
He said "beg your pardon I thought 'twas Christmas night,"
If there's laughter out doors, there's trouble at home,
Yesterday there was mirth, now only gloom,
The torpedoes are gone, the crackers all fired
Each boys little belley filled with all he desired,
The family physician hurries here and there,
And carries on his face a mysterious air;
Whilst assuring mamma, bowed down with grief,
Paragoric will soon give her little boy relief.
One at a time, like soldiers, they met their fates,
The "Veteran" succumbed to forty "Whiskey Straights,"
The "Regular" was vanquished by cold punch and grog
And the "Recruit" utterly routed with eggnog;
With nerves all unstrung, and terrible head aches.
How solemn are the vows each reprobate makes
While all cast their coppers with oysters on the shell,
And forsaking the Bar, practice at the nearest well
Let the faults of last night; the follies of to-day
Be remembered no more as time bears them away,
But the lesson they teach us, may be learned by us all,
The wise are often foolish; the strong often fall.

Edenton, N. C.

Selected Story.

The Courtneys; or, Aunt Laura's Gift.

BY DR. FORREST P. GUMMERSON.

Chapter 1.

"Two years more, with our usual good luck, and the farm will be paid for," said Laura Courtney to her husband, as he came in one morning carrying in each hand a pale full of foaming milk, and wearing just the slightest look of the blues on his face. His wife was quick to notice this.

Sears Courtney had fallen quite too much into this way of feeling of late. When he bought the farm he had planned to have it all clear at the end of the second year; but now, when two years had come and gone, he found that two more would have to pass ere he could call it free from debt, and his own. He was naturally of a cheerful disposition, and something of a castle builder; so that when he made up his mind to purchase the Reynolds farm, he did not look upon the shaded side of farm life; but saw only the bright pictures such as poets and dreamers delight to paint. He had never been used to farm work. Born in the city, and educated for a mercantile life, the idea of farming for a livelihood had never once occurred to him.

Had his health continued unimpaired, perhaps he would never have made the attempt. But after his doctor had repeatedly advised him to try this sort of life, and he had let this advice pass unheeded, the doctor grew more decided one day, and told him "that his life was not good for another year unless he followed the advice he had given him."

Courtney was not long in coming to a to a decision after this verdict. How could he die and leave all that was dear to him—his wife and children—to the mercies of a cruel and ofttimes unjust world? Great as were the attractions of city life to him, he would rather live on some deserted island, if they could share with him its solitude, than to die 'mid all the city's splendor and they be left alone. So he entered into the business of purchasing a farm with a zeal that really surprised his wife, knowing how he had always disliked the country. At last one was found that just met his idea of what a farm should be, and the owner gave such a glowing description of it in regard to what it could be made to yield, that he quickly decided to purchase. If he had consulted with some one whose experience had been greater than his, he would not have made the mistake of purchasing so poor a farm.

Sears Courtney had known country people only through the columns of some paper, which told of the honest lives they led, of their pastoral simplicity and true home style of living. He had yet to learn that there were exceptions to this rule, and that there could be found in the country men whose meanness, and sharp bargains, would put a city sharper to his wit's end to equal.

First he hired a man to work for him by the day, and at the end of a week found that he was paying him one dollar more than any one else in the place was paying, though the man, with an effrontery surprising, had declared on his honor that all the hired men in the place were receiving that amount as their wages. Of course when he found out the man had told him a lie he discharged him at once; but so long a time elapsed ere he could procure another, that his work went so far behind as to make it impossible to catch up; and when the year was ended, he found that he had expended over two hundred dollars more than his farm had yielded him.

"Of course, a few more years such as this has been will make us very rich some day!" he said to his wife, as he shut his account book with a suddenness that made her start with surprise. "Of course I say, Mrs. Courtney, we shall yet be very rich from the profit of our farm; if, like a crab we continue to go backward; oh! my dear?"

"I wouldn't get so down-hearted about it if I were you, Sears. Remember this is only the first year; and then you know, you had but little or no experience and another year you may go far ahead of our best anticipations. Two hundred dollars isn't so much after all, is it? when you take into consideration that you had so many new things to buy. I shall be able to help you much more the coming year. I don't intend to keep but one girl; I have learned so much in the past that I know I can do with less help."

Now, the idea of Laura Courtney getting along with only one girl seemed so perfectly ridiculous to her husband that he just stretched himself out at full length and laughed at her until she actually cried, because she did not like the idea of his thinking that she could not do anything.

"It's just the way with these city men," she said. "They're never home, and they don't know anything about it. I'm sure that during the past year I did a great deal more work than Ann, who always made a fuss, as though she was doing a great deal, when all the time she required more waiting on than anybody else in the house."

"There! there! little puss, don't take it so to heart"—seeing what a bad effect his laughing was really having upon his wife. "Of course I believe you can work—I know you do, any way; but it did seem rather funny to think of those dainty, white hands of yours (which no one in the city ever saw ungloved, save in your own home) splashing about in greasy water and soap suds. I confess the idea of it quite took my breath away, and it was the tickling sensation in my throat, caused in my trying to get it back again, that set me laughing."

Laury Courtney could not cry any more after this speech. She had a keen sense of the ludicrous, and the idea of a tickling in her husband's throat, caused by losing his breath, and then trying to regain it, making him laugh, was quite too absurd; so she had to laugh too, which she did until Sears brought her to task by chiding her for doing the very thing she had accused him of but a few moments before.

Somehow the laugh had done them both good; for when Sears arose he went over to where his wife sat and kissed her, and she noticed that the cloud had left his face, and where it had hung all day like a pall there were smiles like sunbeams now, that danced about in their own light. So while her husband was doing his chores she sang, for her heart was full of gladness and her faith in the future was strong enough to let her wait and see what it had in store for them without counting on possible failures.

Such as this woman are they who win crowns of life purer than gold, and by their faith a home eternal in the heavens, which the All-Giver bestowes on those whose trust is in Him—believing that without He wills, not one of His beloved children shall faint by the wayside.

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Was it economy? I question if it is true economy to wear one's self out at hard labor, and such, too, as one has not been accustomed to, when there are those that can be had who are used to the hard paths of life. It seems to me that there are many mistakes made by women like Laura Courtney, in believing that they are helping their husbands by giving all their strength to the needs of the present, and by so doing laying the foundation for an after-life of uselessness and misery, when from overwork they find themselves broken down in body and mind.

Laura Courtney found before the year was half gone that she had not done the wisest thing. The woman who attended to the dairy was efficient, and did all in her power to lighten the labor and make it easy for Mrs. Courtney. But there was such a constant accumulation of little things that must be done that she fairly grew sick at heart when she dared think of them. Once or twice she had half resolved to tell Sears that she had not acted altogether wisely; but she knew how everything plagued him and how much was going wrong about the place, and so she determined not to complain, even if she died by holding out to the end of the year.

To tell the truth, things had gone worse thus far on the farm than in the past year. Just when he most needed its work one of his valuable horses was taken sick and died. Here was a clear loss of over two hundred dollars, for although he could buy a cheaper one than this, he had twice been offered that amount for this one, and once only a week before it died. Then one of his cows fell in jumping over a fence and broke her leg and he had to kill her. His land, too, was poor; and no matter how much work was put on it, it would be some two or three years at best before it would begin to yield well.

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"I wonder why people will persist in parading their grief in all possible places? It seems to me that it is not necessary to fill the minds of others with constant sadness by these reminders of death. Is it not enough that the sorrows of each one come soon enough without having always to share in those of others?"

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ELIZABETH CITY AS A MANUFACTURING POINT.—THE RAILROAD.

Elizabeth City is becoming an important point for the manufacture of Lumber and Shingles. Its location and surroundings make it an eligible place for the establishment of other manufactories. We are glad to know that the attention of capitalists is being directed this way who are looking over the ground. Among the enterprises seriously thought of are a Factory for the manufacture of Cotton Yarn, another for the manufacture of Glass, and a third for the manufacture of Leather. Either or all would pay—would pay the capital invested as well as largely benefit this city and surrounding country.

As to the first, the staple, and of the very best quality being here, the manufacture of Cotton Yarn could be carried on with great profit. There is no question about it. So with the second—glass. The sand here possesses the elements from which the very best quality is manufactured. Over a year ago a quantity of sand was sent to a Factory at Pittsburg, Pa., for the purpose of testing it. We have a sample of the glass in our office, and it is of superior quality. With respect to a Tannery, we would say that before the war the manufacture of leather was carried on successfully here. There is no reason why it should not be again. We believe that it could be made a profitable business.

The truth is, the only additional element to make Elizabeth City one of the most important manufacturing centres of the southern coast is a *railroad*. Our location, our natural advantages—everything is in our favor if we but exercise the good judgment to utilize them. Capitalists and men of business experience can easily see the advantages. They say "the one thing needful is a RAILROAD. Make *that* a certainty and we'll ride at once to locate among you."

NORTH CAROLINA ATTRACTING IMMIGRATION—NOT FROM EUROPE, BUT FROM PENNSYLVANIA.

The steam tug Alida left our port yesterday at noon for Elizabeth City, having aboard Messrs. Conrow, Bush and Lippincott, of Philadelphia, proprietors of a large steam saw mill which they have erected in that town. These gentlemen have purchased some twenty thousand acres of timbered land in Pasquotank and adjoining counties in North Carolina, and have engaged extensively in the manufacture of lumber for the Northern markets.

While in this city they called on Marshall Parks, Esq., President of the Albemarle and Chesapeake Canal Company, who offered them every facility in procuring information as to the best method of shipment of their products to market. And after viewing several of the finest and largest steamers engaged in the canal navigation, they proceeded on their own steamer to Elizabeth City via the Albemarle and Chesapeake Canal.

We learn there are a number of sawmills being erected in various section of Eastern North Carolina, and that, as the lumber becomes scarce at the North, the manufacture of lumbermen will be turned to the great pine region of our sister state.—*Norfolk Landmark.*

The gentlemen above referred to arrived and spent near two weeks here. Messrs Conrow and Lippincott are from Philadelphia and Mr. Bush from Bellefonte, Pa. In addition to the manufacture of lumber they have interested themselves largely in other enterprises here. They are men of large means and indomitable energy. Mr. Lippincott has located here and will devote to the business of the firm.

DO NOT DESPAIR.

The failure of a crop in any country inevitably puts it back at least a year. And such a failure to be immediately followed by a general panic makes it just so much worse. This is the condition of our people to-day. During the summer the prospect of good crops was fine and when cotton picking commenced the price was good. But soon it became painfully apparent that the crop both of cotton and corn was short. The price of the latter all at once fell down to a ruinous figure. Of course all this makes our farmers feel poor, and just in proportion as they are hard pressed do our merchants and business men generally feel it. It is unfortunate, but repining and despondency won't help it any. We have seen crop failures in Pennsylvania and we have read of them in the West. It took a year for them to recover, but they *did* recover. So here. With courage and resolution and a determined perseverence another year will put us on our feet again. Things are not so bad but they might be worse. There is a brighter future for those who have the pluck to "pick their flints and try again."

We believe we havn't mentioned that Mrs. Mattie C. Brown has been elected Grand Worthy Chief Templar of Ohio. That the principal temperance organization in the State is led by a woman.—*Ex.*

Historically considered a Female Templar is rather an anomoly. But never mind. The world is moving, and we rather rejoice in it.

THE CURRENCY QUESTION.

In 1860 the circulating medium of the country was just one third more than it is to day. The population was twenty-five per cent. less than it is now and the business done proportionately smaller. In 1860 there wasn't any too much money for the needs of the people and the business of the country. And yet there are those who insist that twenty-five per cent more people and at least twenty-five per cent larger business should get along and prosper with one third less money. Is this common sense? The country needs more money. It cannot prosper without it. Let the visionary theorists in Congress yield to the men of practical experience—the *business* men—and pass a bill that will meet the necessities of the nation.

The Virginius, on its way from Cuba in charge of the U. S. Steamship Ossipee, was lost off Cape Fear on the North Carolina coast. She was in a leaky condition when she was received from the Cubans. Her sinking is a final solution of some questions that might have proved troublesome. The survivors of her crew have arrived at New York.

Johns Hopkins, the wealthiest man of Baltimore, died on the 24th ult. His wealth was estimated at $12,000,000. He was never married and left the bulk of his wealth for the building and endowing of charitable and other institutions.

Some very wise writer is trying to prove that Columbus did not discover America.—*Ex.*

But if he didn't, who did? Or was it never lost?

Gen. Daniel E. Sickles has resigned his position as minister to Spain and the President has appointed Hon. Caleb Cushing to succeed him.

The National House of Representatives has passed a universal amnesty bill. It repeals the test oath and extends amnesty to all. It passed by a vote of 141 to 291.

"Hard times" sociables are the places where *good times* are had in Western Pennsylvania.

"Honey festivals" are pronounced "too sweet for anything" in Massachusetts.

Congress recommenced on Monday.

A CORRESPONDENCE

Christmas Tree Celebration at Elizabeth City.

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather a large and brilliant concourse of ladies and gentlemen assembled at the Methodist Church on Christmas evening to witness the Christmas Tree Celebration announced for the occasion. The members of the Sunday School, for whose benefit the Celebration was designed, two hundred and sixteen in number, and apparelled in their brightest holiday attire, occupied the front benches and presented a very happy and cheerful appearance.

Directly in front of the pulpit a beautiful framework of evergreens was erected, consisting first of a shaft decorated with cedar and holly, and dotted with white and crimson roses which stood exactly in the lateral center of the middle aisle and extended perpendicularly from the floor to the chancel to the ceiling above. Across this and at right angles with it, was another shaft similarly decorated and stretching from gallery to gallery.

Beneath the latter shaft at the distance of a few feet a curvilinear wreath was suspended, and between the two, in large gilt letters, and seemingly without any support save that derived from air alone, the words "Merry Christmas" shone forth conveying an appropriate and joyous greeting to all who were present. From the middle of the main shaft to short pillars erected at each extremity of the chancel, beautiful garlands were extended and in the concavity of each inverted arch was a circular wreath displaying in letters of gilt the names of some officials connected with the history of the School. Prominent among them was the name of the venerable C. C. Green, its founder, who was Superintendent in the year 1826. The Christmas Trees, two in number, stood, the one on the right and the other on the left of the central shaft, and midway between it and the side aisles of the church; and were so trimmed as to exactly fill the triangular vacant spaces occasioned by the joinder of the evergreen arches. The trees were of holly, fresh cut from the forest, glittering with natural borries, ablaze with wax lights, and gorgeous with their profusion of gifts. The whole superstructure illuminated with candles and Chinese lanterns, whose brilliancy was in admirable contrast with the dark green material of their setting was beautiful in the extreme, reminding one of those fairy scenes of which one reads in the ravishing pages of the Arabian Nights.

The plan of decorations was, as we understand, designed by our friends T. C. Allen and H. M. Fearing Esqs., and does infinite credit to their aesthetic taste.

At seven o'clock precisely the exercises of the evening were commenced by singing, which was conducted by Mr. J. P. Grandy, a gentleman well known in this locality as possessing musical ability of a high order. His deep, rich and sonorous voice harmoniously blending with the clear, sweet, and fresh notes of the children, filled the church with a melody that will linger long in the memory of those who love "the art divine." Without intending to be invidious we must award special praise to three little girls—Emmie Cook, Emma Steger and Mary Sterling—who rendered their parts with unusual grace and spirit. We were much pleased also with the singing of Miss Alice Grandy, whose fine soprano voice has long been the admiration of a large circle of acquaintances. The organ accompaniment was played by Miss Clara Paine, a young lady of great beauty and fine musical attainments.

At the close of the first song, an impressive prayer, appropriate to the occasion, was made by Rev. Mr. Booker, Pastor of the church. The singing was then resumed and continued until half past seven o'clock, when Dr. J. N. Butt, the efficient Superintendent of the school introduced as orator of the evening Hon. C. L. Cobb, our able and popular representative in Congress. Mr. Cobb's address was a beautiful and touching production, and had the merit of uniting in a manner as captivating as it is rare the elements of elegance and simplicity. The speaker demonstrated that he had a keen perception of that line so attenuated and delicate, and yet so distinct and clear, which seperates that which is *rich* in composition from that which is *gaudy*. When Mr. Cobb had taken his seat, the audience was again entertained by choice selections of vocal and instrumental music. The latter was rendered in a very superior style by Prof. Loomas of Norfolk City.

Our amiable and fun-loving friend M. B. Culpepper now made his appearance, personating old "Santa Claus," bearing in his arms two little girls dressed as cherubs. His hair and eyebrows, beard and moustache snowy and profuse, impressed the children with the belief that the Deity of Christmas stood *in propria persona* before them, and the grown up people might well imagine from his venerable appearance that the frosts of nearly two thousand winters had fallen on his brow. His appearance was the signal for the distribution of the gifts, and two ladies, selected for their grace and beauty, and two gentlemen conspicuous for good looks and gallantry took them from the trees, and presented them to those for whom they were intended.

How happy seemed the girls, as dolls and neck ribbons, gay "streamers" and handkerchiefs were placed in their eager hands rejoicing no doubt, (these *women in embryo*, God bless them!) at the prospect of eclipsing in finery their less favored sisters on the morrow. And the boys! it did one's heart good to see their eyes sparkle, to watch the twitching of their unregenerate muscles, striving in spite of the sanctity of the place to throw them into summersaults of delight, as brand new pocket-knives and bags of toothsome candy were distributed amongst them.

The whole scene was one of happiness and festivity that we will not soon forget, and one cannot too highly commend the managers of the School for providing such an innocent and appropriate pleasure for the little ones entrusted to their charge.

The business of the evening being now ended the benediction was pronounced and all retired from the Church, still more in love than ever before with the joyous Christmas Tree, when peace and gentle charity cover the whole face of Christendom as with a mantle.

FRESH WATER.

Eliz. City, Dec. 27th, 1873.

From Plymouth, N. C.

A TABLEAUX ON CHRISTMAS—SAD ACCIDENT AND SUCCESSFUL SURGICAL OPERATION—ADVICE TO SUBSCRIBE FOR AND HEED THE TEACHINGS OF THE CAROLINIAN—REPRESENTATIVES AT HOME.

The young ladies and gentlemen of our town gave a Tableaux performance on Christmas night regardless of the weather, the proceeds of which is intended to procure instruments for a Brass Band recently organized. The attendance was large and the amount collected beyond their most sanguine expectations. The second evenings entertainment was still more successful, the weather being more favorable, and having been joined by several ladies and gentlemen from Jamesville who rendered valuable service during the intervals of the performance by discoursing sweet music on the organ, accompanied by the voice, to the great delight and admiration of all present. In fact it was *the* performance, many thanks for their kind courtesy, and we take this opportunity to extend them on all occasions our most cordial hospitalities. After the performance was concluded they retired to the commodious room in the old Custom House gratuitously extended by the gentlemanly owners Messrs. Hornthall & Bro., who have recently so tastefully arranged it, where they whiled away an hour or two with a pleasant hop, accompanied with their friends and visitors from Jamesville, who joined them in the mazy dance.

George Newberry (col.) had his hand and arm so terribly mangled yesterday morning at the Gin of Sheriff Bateman that Dr. Walker considered amputation necessary. Some objection being raised Dr. Ward was consulted who confirmed the doctor's opinion. Chloroform was administered and the arm amputated above the elbow most dexterously by Dr. Walker, assisted by his old friend, whose nerves time has told the tale upon, but on this occasion were as steady and firm as the hills. The patient is doing well.

It is to be hoped that the sad experience of last year will teach our farmers the necessity of more prudent husbandry, and if our experience is worth anything if they will subscribe to the CAROLINIAN as we did and be governed by its saving truths in regard to scientific and practical agricultural knowledge so well matured in each number, they as well as the Albemarle country dependant upon their intelligence and energy would soon be renumerated ten fold for the out-lay. It would readily make our section as nature designed it, one of the most favored spots on this continent. All that is requisite is capital, energy and intelligence to direct it. Take the CAROLINIAN friends.

Our Legislators, Col. Guyther and Capt. Johnson are at home enjoying the recess socially and otherwise with their many personal friends, and extending to their constituents the necessary courtesy so characteristic of the gentlemen.

ROANOKE.

Plymouth, N. C., Dec. 28th, 1873.

Postponment.

Fourth Gift Concert of Public Library of Kentucky.—A Card to the Public.—The Trustees of the Public Library of Kentucky and the management of the Gift Concert announce the postponement of the Fourth Gift Concert until Tuesday, the 31st of March next.

The public will readily understand the causes which have made this postponement necessary.

The financial panic, which has for the last two months paralyzed the business of every section of this country and Europe, has prevented thousands from investing in tickets. The epidemics pervading almost the entire South have cut off a large and available market. And, too, the public judging from the effect of these causes have expected a postponement and have declined to invest without a more positive assurance of the drawing taking place on a fixed day.

All interested desire a full drawing, but for the reasons just stated this could not be had on the 3d of December, but the short postponement now announced will secure it.

The management have met with unprecedented success. The sales of tickets, the proceeds of which have already been received, amount to OVER A MILLION DOLLARS, with a number of agencies in this country yet to hear from, and all those in Europe.

Thus a drawing (scaling the gifts one-half) could be had now, but the management deem it best to have a postponement and a *full draging*.

This postponement assures the sale of all the tickets and A FULL DRAWING. That this determination will meet with the approbation of nearly ever one interested is made apparent by the very numerous letters received from every section of this country and the Canadas asking for a postponement.

This action of the management will work no detriment to any but will be for the good of all. By it the fortunate ticket-holders will receive their gifts in full while it will not affect those who do not draw gifts.

In making this announcement the management emphatically state that there shall be no further postponement and to this end all agents will be imperatively required to close up and transmit their accounts to this office by the 21st of March.

THOS. E. BRAMLETTE,
Agent Public Library Ky.

"HOUSEKEEPER" OF HEALTH.

The liver being the great depurating or blood cleansing organ of the system—set this great "housekeepor of our health" at work, and the foul corruption which gender in the blood, and rot out, as it were, the machinery of life, are gradually expelled, from the system. For this purpose Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery with very small daily doses of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets are pre-eminently the articles needed. They cure every kind of humor from the worst scrofula to the common pimple, blotches or eruption. Great eating ulcers kindly heal under their mighty curative influence. Virulent blood poisons that lurk in the system are by them robbed of their terrors, and by their persevering and somewhat protracted use the most tainted systems may be completely renovated and built up anew. Enlarged glands, tumors and swellings dwindle away and disappear under the influence of these great resolvents.

DOCTORS COULDN'T HELP HIM.

Melgsville, Morgan Co., O., March 24th 1872

Dear Dr. Pierce:

When I was 12 or 15 years of age I took what is called Kings Evil, and by constant doctoring it would heal in one place and break out in another. It also broke out in my left ear. I first found your name in the *Christain Advocate*, and sent 10 miles for the first bottle, which did me more good than all other medicines I ever used. I am 28 years old and doctored with five doctors, and not one of them helped me so much as your bottle of Discovery. I have got well and able to do a good day's work. JOHN A. WILSON.

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The next Pennsylvania House of Representatives will contain 201 members, according to the provisions of the new Constitution.

Zeba Darlington of Chester county, Pa., recently discovered a tortoise marked "Z. D., 1820," which he recognized as the work of his hand fifty three years ago.

The London *Times* estimates that 74,000,000 bushels of wheat will be required from this country to supply the markets of Europe until the crop of 1874 is harvested.

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Jan. 7th, 1874.-tf.

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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE

Estate of R. R. Anderton.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of R. R. Anderton of Halifax County, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

J. M. MULLEN, Agnee,
-3t. Halifax N. C.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy.
For the Albemarle District.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That on the 22nd, of Dec. A. D. 1873, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States of the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of A. Baum of Currituck Co., and State of N. Carolina, who has been adjudged bankrupt on creditors petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law, that at a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees on his state, will be held a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Elizabeth City. N. C., before T. W. Coston Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 8th day of Jan. A. D. 1873 at 10 o'clock A. M.

R. M. DOUGLAS, *U. S. Marshal,*
WM. GLOVER, *Deputy U. S. M. as Messenger*
29-3t.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankanptcy.
For the Albemarle District.

In the matter of J. E. White, a Bankrupt—ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVE, That a petition has been filed in said court by J. E. White, of Perquimuns county, and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 8, day of Jan. 1873, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Coston, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place.

Dated at Elizabeth City, N. C., on the 22th day of Dec. a. d. 1873.

M. B. CULPEPPER,
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NOTICE IN BANKRUPTBY.

District Court of the United States } In Bankruptcy.
For the Albemarle District.

In the matter of Joseph Barham, a Bankrupt—ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a petition has been filed in said court by Joseph Parham of Northampton county, and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of Mar 2nd, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all the debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 8th, day of Jan. 1873, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Coston, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place.

Dated at Elizabeth City, N. C., on the 12th day of Dec. a. d. 1873.

27-3t. M. B CULPEPPER, Clk.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States } In Bankruptcy.
For the Albemarle District.

In the matter of Samuel Mann Bankrupt—ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a petition has been filed in said court by S. Mann, of Dare, county, and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and clrtificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 8th day of Jan. 1873, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Coston, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have porved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place.

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DISSOLUTION OF COPARNERSHIP.

The undersigned have this day by mutual consent dissolved the copartnership heretofore existing between them.

James C. Perry is authorized to close all unsettled business of the concern.

C. WINSLOW, M. D.
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WEDNESDAY, JAN 7, 1874.

TO NORTHERN VISITORS.

Elizabeth City is 50 miles South East of Norfolk, Va. Parties coming here from the South should take passage on the Bay line steamers which leave Baltimore at 4 P. M. every evening, and arrive at Portsmouth the next morning in time to connect with the Elizabeth City Steamers daily.

THIS WEEK'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

We call attention to the following new advertisements in this issue.

T. D. Sinck.
The best Present.
Farmers Improve your Stock of Mules.
Tug Boat "Aida."
Rare Chance to Save Money.
Dissolution Notice.
Lighting Rods.
Lumber.

Local and Personal

Court in Camden last week only continued three days.

Judge ALATHTSON will hold Court in Currituck next week.

It is time to write 1874 now. It will require some time to get one's hand in.

The interesting letter of our Fortress Monroe correspondent will appear next week.

Those of our subscribers who have changed their residence will please notify us of the fact.

The latest New York quotations are Gold 111¼, Cotton 16¼c, Corn 80¼c. At Norfolk, Cotton 14¼c; Corn 75c.

A MONTGOMERY, of Philipsburg Pa., a man of considerable mercantile experience, is now here about to open a store.

The fee charged on registered letters has been reduced from fifteen to eight cents. The new law took effect on the 1st inst.

We are gratified to be able to announce that arrangements have been made to run all our Lumber Mills here to their full capacity.

The weather the past ten days has been mild and genial. Our Truckers are preparing their ground for early potatoes, peas and vegetables.

The points made by our intelligent and observing correspondent "Drummer" on our last page this week, are timely. Let every reader of the CAROLINIAN ponder the article well and it cannot fail to do good.

A correspondent informs us that a little sensation was created at Nixonton on Saturday evening last by a runaway match. The "young couple" had fully made up their minds to be made "one flesh;" the young ladie's parents objected. It didn't avail.

We call the attention of parties, wishing Lightning rod work done, to the card of CHARLES & WATERS in this issue of the CAROLINIAN. We know the parties well and can with confidence recommend them as honorable and reliable. All orders sent them will be properly attended to.

FROM PORT-FOLIO.

"To Curb a fast young man—bridal him. Generaly speaking—women. The way to get customers—*advertise for them.* A good rule—dare to do right. A great mistake—to make no allowances for the infirmities of, others. Natural things—babies. Gales against the grain—the "panic." The panel game—drawing a jury. A fine name for tight boots—a corn crib.

LOCAL BRIEFS.—Hon. C. L. COBB left for Washington City on Thursday last. His health is very much improved.

THOS. A. SYKES is at home on a visit. He is located at Nashville, Tenn.—The colored people here had a Christmas tree celebration at their Church on Christmas eve. It was a success. Many presents were given, among which was a fine gold watch worth $85 to Mrs. HUGH CALE.—The friends of Rev. GEO. W. BOOKER gave him a surprize party on New Years eve.—An Emancipation celebration was held in the Court House on the 1st. Speeches were made by THOS. A. SYKES Esq. and Hon. J. H. SHAW.—Messrs. COWNOW and BUSH left for Pennsylvania on Monday morning.—A number of articles crowded out.—Our Norfolk letter came too late.—The "little steam mill" is making splendid a cal.—See report in another column of the Christmas Tree ceremonies in the Methodist Church.—The place to get oysters of all styles is at Capt LYON'S Saloon.

Business Locals.

The holidays are over and Fowler on Water Street, has done a good business. He sells cheap and for *cash* only.

Lowenburg & Jacobs, 22 & 24 Market Square, Norfolk, Va., are preparing for a full trade for 1874. It is the best house in the city, and the most popular.

For anything you need in the Dry Goods or Notion line go to Fowlers.

W. C. McCutcheon is opening a new store in the brick building one door North of Fowlers on Water Street. He will keep a general assortment of merchandise, including Dry Goods, Groceries Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Notions, etc. Advertisement next week.

Prof. Donaldson will give two performances in *magic* before the people of E. City on Friday and Saturday evenings. He will give away, each evening, Gifts of Furniture, Groceries, Jewelry &c., &c. See programmes.

Internal Revenue Supervisor Cobb of Tennesee reports to the Internal Revenue Office that three illicit distileries have been destroyed by Collector Cooper in the IId District of the State, and nine in the IIId District, by Collector Wilkins.

The Third Assistant Postmaster General decides that any number of individuals or firms may print their advertisements on a postal card before it is deposited in the mails.

The Teacher of the colored school at Nixonton is in trouble. It is charged that he forged a school order. He has been arrested and is now in jail.

The Committee appointed to examine candidates for appointment to West Point Academy, met at Edenton on the 30th ult. The names of the Committee were Prof. S. D. BAGLEY of Rose Dale, this county, STEWART JOHNSON, Esq., of Washington County and Dr. W. R. CAPEHART, of Edenton. We understand they were unable to decide. There were four applicants we believe. EDMOND ALEXANDER from Washington, W. O. TEMPLE from Rose Dale J. H. SAWYER from Elizabeth City, and——GREGORY from Hertford.

"A change of climate" is often beneficial, nay the only remedy in certain disease incident to all localities. Doubtless there are cases here that would be materially relieved by spending a year or more in a latitude where the temperature is different from ours. One thing we know, and we have had repeated evidences of it, this climate has a peculiarly soothing and healing effect upon the lung diseases incident to the North. Not a winter during the five years we have spent here has passed but parties from different parts of the North, suffering from pulmonary affections have been decidedly improved, some entirely cured by a protracted visit here. There is something in our atmosphere that is better far than medicine. Their cough soon becomes relieved, their appetite improves, their strength increases and they return feeling that they have a new lease of life.

We noticed in our columns last April the prompt payment of the Metropolitan Life Ins. Co., of N. Y., of a policy of insurance for $2500 on the life of one of our townsmen. During the same month Mr. Augustus Arps, an old and highly esteemed citizen of our sister town Hertford secured a policy of $1000 on his life in the same Co, on which he had paid only $27.41 when death took him from the loved ones for whom he had so faithfully labored. According to the terms of the policies of the Metropolitan, losses are due 90 days after the receipt of proofs of death. The proof in this case was rec'd about the first of Nov, making the claim due about the first of Feb., '74, but on the 22nd of Dec. the Co., with its characteristic promptness in such cases, through their State Manager Mr. JNO. W. GORDAN, paid the full face of the policy without any deduction of interest. Mr GORDAN is a native of Hertford but for several years past has resided in Wilmington where he makes his head quarters of his Co. in this State. Mr. P. H. WELCH, a gentleman well known to our people, is his representative at Hertford. The high character of the officers of the Metropolitan, its prompt and honorable dealings, its unusually attractive plan of insurance and its corps of active and zealous agents have made it one of the leading Life Companies of the world, and we cheerfully wish it God speed in its good and laudable work.

MARRIAGES.

BRIGGS—EVANS.—By the Rev. Wells Briggs, on the 11th day of December, at the residence of the bride's brother, Mr. Wm. H. BRIGGS, of Portsmouth, Va., to Miss JULIA CAROLINA EVANS, of Currituck Co., N. C.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

AT THE ALBEMARLE HOUSE

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NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy.
For the Albemarle District.

In the matter of H. J. Hill a Bankrupt.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVE, That a petition has been filled in said court by H. J. Hill, of Northampton Co., and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts, and other claims provable under said act, and that the 5th, day of Jan. 1874 at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Coston, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C. is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place.

Dated at Elizabeth City, N.C. on the 7th day of Dec., a. d. 1873.

26-4t. M. B. CULPEPPER, *Clerk.*

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy.
For the Albemarle District.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 30th. day of June, A. D. 1873, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of Wm. J. Ewards of Northampton Co., and State of N. Carolina, who has been adjudged bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees on his state, will be held a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Elizabeth City, N. C. before T. W. Coston Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 31st, day of July A. D. 1873 at 10 o'clock A. M.

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NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States } In Bankruptcy:
For the Albemarle District.

In the matter of S. R. Spruill, Bankrupt

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a petition has been filed in said court by S. R. Spruill of Northampton Co., and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 8th day of Jan. 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Coston, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place.

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NOTICE.

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Currituck County.
James W. Woodhouse, Pl'ff.
Against
B. F. Simmons Ex. of B. T. Simons dcsd. Def.

It appearing that the defendant B. F. Simons is a non resident of North Carolina; he is hereby notified to appear before me at my office at Currituck C. H., Currituck County, N. C., on Saturday the 10th day of January 1874 at 12 o'clock M., and answer the Plaintiff's complaint for the non-payment of the sum of Two Hundred Dollars, due by note and demanded by said Plaintiff, with interest from the 20th of May, 1850, and costs of this action.

V. L. PITTS, J. P.

W. B. SHAW, Att'y.
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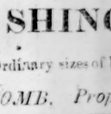

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October 25th, 1873.

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Dogs.

NEAR ELIZABETH CITY, }
December 29th, 1873. }

To the Editor of the North Carolinian:

I have been making some inquiries about the numbers and cost of the Dogs, and have arrived at some conclusions which rather surprised me, but which are justified by the facts. The number of dogs I saw suggested the idea of trying to make some estimate of the number in Pasquotank County, and I began to make inquiries. These resulted in ascertaining that every dwelling, tenant house, and cabin, had from 1 to 4 dogs, scarcely a single habitation was without a dog. One farmer counted up and found on his plantation 25, and his estimate was 2000 in the county. Others counted from 5 to 20, and the estimates for the county were generally from 1500 to 2000.

Now, everybody will admit that a large portion of these dogs are entirely useless, not only so, but are a public nuisance. They are ranging over the neighborhood killing pigs, destroying sheep, breaking up hen's nests, sucking eggs, and often destroying rest by their hideous howlings through the night. My object is to make a statement of the cost of keeping the dogs, and the amount of income directly or indirectly incurred by keeping them. In order that I may be within bounds, I will assume that there are 1000 dogs in the county, though I have no doubt that double that number would be nearer correct. I will assume that one-fourth of them may be useful and valuable to their owners and that will leave as the number of worthless, useless, vicious dogs 750. I have seen an estimate that it will cost $10 to feed a dog one year, but, that I may not exaggerate I will suppose that it cost $5 per year.

Then it costs the county of Pasquotank, to support her 750 useless dogs, at $5 per year each, $3,750.00.

The food that it takes to support a dog will raise a pig, so that at the end of the year instead of these 750 worthless dogs, there would be 750 hogs; and in this view, instead of using that amount in feeding useless dogs, there would be an equal amount of good hogs, which, instead of being an expense, would be a actual profit. Twenty years ago every farm in the county was stocked with sheep, averaging from 20 to 50 head. Now, you seldom see a sheep. The dogs have killed them and the luxury of a good lamb or mutton is seldom enjoyed on a farmer's table. Were these various dogs destroyed, the flocks of sheep would increase in two fold proportion, instead of 750 dogs there would be 1500 dogs, and in a few years the supply of sheep would equal the demand. It seems perfectly demonstrable, that the county is losing, annually, a large sum, merely to keep a gang of vicious, worthless dogs.

The cost of feeding 750 dogs per year, at $5 . . . . . $3,750 00

Were there no vicious dogs there would be in their stead, say the number of sheep say 500 at $5 each $2500.00

So the support of 750 dogs costs the farmers of Pasquotank directly and indirectly annually $8,250.00

The question is, shall hogs and sheep take the place of dogs? or shall the farmers dispense with pork and mutton and keep a lot of useless, worthless, vicious dogs. With the worse than useless drain on their labor, will the people cease crying "hard times?"

DRUMMER.

Greatest Crop of the World.

A question widely discussed involves the relative value of the wheat, cotton, tea and hay crops of the world. Which of these crops employs the greatest amount of the world's capital? It is said that hay leads the rest, and the items when taken into account as stated are somewhat startling, and will make a Granger's hair stand on end. Cotton and tea are local crops, while hay is produced everywhere the world over, and thus the hay crop greatly outweighs either of the other two. The aggregate reported value of all farm products of 1870 was $2,447,958,958; but as this includes acreage, to stocks, "betterments," &c. it is probably too high. Now the hay crop of that year—that is the grass dried and cured for use or sold—is reported at over 27,000,000 tons. This at half the selling price in the large cities, would amount to $405,000,000 and is far greater than the aggregate home value of the cotton crop or any other crop. The other portion is used on the ground, and is requires considerable calculation to get at the value so used even in the roughest way.

In the first place live stock, including horned cattle, horses, sheep, swine, &c., to the value of $1,635,000,000, were fed from it that year. Averaging the lives of these at five years we have one fifth of that sum as representing the grass fed to them in 1870, namely, $305,800,000; next we find the value of the animals slaughtered for food in that year to be $309,000,000, and as this is an annual product, the whole of it for the present will be credited to the grass crop of 1870 as 514,000,000 pounds, which at the average of 25 cents, amounts to $128,500,000 and this goes to the credit of grass; next we have 235,000,000 gallons of milk, which, averaged at the low estimate of 10 cents per gallon, adds $20,000,000 more to the credit of the grass crop; then we have 100,000,000 pounds of wool at 25 cents a pound, adding $25,000,000 more; and finally 33,000,000 pounds of cheese at 10 cents, adding over $3,000,000 to the total of these credits to the grass crop of 1870, which aggregates $887,000,000.—*Vermont Chronicle.*

To cleanse tainted meat barrels this method is recommended by M. I. Lewis of Rosedale, Wis., in *The Western Farmer*: "Use the barrels for scalding tubs (if designed for pork) by putting therein, say two quarts of wood ashes for the first hog, and if more are to be slaughtered retain as much of the first water as possible, and add a little more ashes; the more it is repeated, of course the more sure the success. If the casks are too small to use for the purpose before specified, I should venture to try the hot water and ashes alone with a very thorough manipulation with a scrub-broom, and a thorough shaking of the cask and letting it stand for some time, and lastly rinse thoroughly with cold water." Mr. Lewis adds that "pork or beef are more liable to spoil in a new cask than after they have been used, and the salt or the pickle has thoroughly fermented them. Until then they will need a more vigilant eye than afterward, other things being equal."

J. S. Collins, Tallahoma; Tenn., tells *The American Rural Home* that when his neighbors were losing their hogs and hens by cholera he saved his with sulphur. "I mixed about half a bushel of meal with two pounds of sulpher and let the fowls eat what they wanted; for hogs I put in charcoal, ground fine. I have used it for over twenty years and have not lost one."

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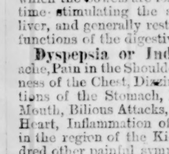

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NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy:
For the Albemarle District. }

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 2nd day of Dec. A. D. 1873, warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States of the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of M. J. Raynor of Bertie County, and State of N. Carolina, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Elizabeth City, N. C., before T. W. Costen, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 8th day of Jan. A. D. 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M.

R. M. DOUGLAS, U. S. *Marshal*
WM. GLOVER *Deputy U. S. M. as Messenger*
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Estate of E. F. Baxter.

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